

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: NAGAI et al.) TC/A.U. 3766
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Docket No.: 5553NAG1-1))
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For: GRAPH DISPLAY PROCESSING)
 DEVICE AND METHOD)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In an Office Action dated April 18, 2008, the Examiner issued a Restriction Requirement with regard to the above-identified patent application. Generally, the Examiner indicated that Claims 31-58, drawn to the displaying of periodic waveforms (Group I); and Claims 59-60, drawn to the displaying of electrocardiogram waveforms (Group II), were distinct inventions.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Group II - Claims 59-60 in this patent application. However, Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue Group I in a subsequent divisional/continuation application.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.